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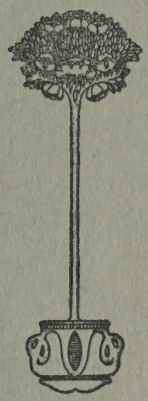

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VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1941

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator
RUTH G. KELLEY

Selectmen
JOHN R. McCULLOUGH ELMER E. JENNESS
EARL STEVENS

Town Clerk
LUCINDA D. JENNESS

Treasurer
EMMA M. LOCKE

Auditors
GLADYS WHITEHOUSE MARION E. STEVENS

Supervisors
ASA B. KELLEY ARTHUR L. STEVENS
EDGAR N. STEVENS

Tax Collector
CLAYTON W. SHEPARD

Police
MOSES D. TUFTS

Board of Education
MARION E. TUFTS CHARLES DIPRIZIO
MARION E. STEVENS

Clerk
LUCINDA D. JENNESS

Treasurer
MARY E. McCULLOUGH

Auditors
BLANCHE R. WENTWORTH
MARGARET KIMBALL

MIDDLETON TOWN WARRANT
THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Middleton in the County of Strafford in the said State, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said Middleton on Tuesday, the tenth day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act on the following subjects:

Article I. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

Article II. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation for same.

Town Officers' Salaries	$304.00
Town Officers' Expenses	50.00
Incidental Expenses	150.00
Election and Registration	105.00
Fire Department	25.00
Support of Poor	50.00
Old Age Assistance	350.00

Article III. To see if the town will vote $220.00 for electric lights and make appropriation for same.

Article IV. To see if the town will vote $1,000.00 for town roads and make appropriation for same.

Article V. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $175.00 for state aid construction.

Article VI. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the necessary sum of money for county tax.

Article VII. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $150.00 for tractor expense.

Article VIII. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $25.00 for tractor shed expense.

Article IX. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $18.00 for insurance on tractor and shed.

Article X. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $35.00 for workmen's compensation insurance.

Article XI. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $12.00 for the Lakes Region Association.

Article XII. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $225.00 for purchase of road grader.

Article XIII. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $100.00 for the control of white pine blister rust.

Article XIV. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $50.00 for fire and health due to war emengency.

Article XV. To see if the town will vote to increase the hourly rate for men and trucks on town work.

Article XVI. To see if the town will vote to give the selectmen the power to hire money if necessary.

Article XVII. To hear the reports of agents, auditors and committees and elect same.

Article XVIII. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 14th day of February in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and forty-two.

JOHN R. McCULLOUGH,
ELMER E. JENNESS,
EARL W. STEVENS,
Selectmen of Middleton.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

JOHN R. McCULLOUGH,
ELMER E. JENNESS,
EARL W. STEVENS,
Selectmen of Middleton.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Resident Real Estate		52,930.00
Non Resident Real Estate		50,145.00
Horses	15	625.00
Oxen	2	75.00
Cows	27	985.00
Neat Stock	3	75.00
Wood and Lumber		4,130.00
Electric Line	1	4,612.00
Aqueduct	1	4,000.00
Mills and Machinery	2	250.00
Total		$117,827.00

Taxes to Be Committed to Collector

Property Tax	$4,501.07
Poll Tax	200.00
Rate—3.82	
Total Taxes Committed to Collector	$4,701.07

APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED LESS ESTIMATED REVENUE AND CREDITS

Savings Bank Tax	$ 20.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	200.00	
Total Town and School Appropriation Less	$ 220.00	
		$4,566.42
Plus Overlay		$ 134.65
Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation		$4,701.07
Less Poll Tax		200.00
Amount to be Raised by Property Tax		$4,501.07

APPROPRIATIONS

Town Officers' Salaries	$ 304.00
Town Officers' Expenses	50.00
Incidental Expenses	150.00
Election and Registration	27.00
Fire Department	25.00
Support of Poor	50.00
Old Age Assistance	350.00
Street Lights	232.00
Town Roads	1,000.00
State Aid Roads	189.00
County Tax	607.77
Tractor Expense	150.00
Schools	1,500.00
Insurance on Tractor and Shed	18.00
Workman's Insurance	35.00
	$4,687.77

ASSETS

In Hands of Treasurer	$1,606.87
Unredeemed Taxes Levy, 1939	8.00
Uncollected Taxes, 1940	4.00
Uncollected Taxes, 1941	1,388.37
Unredeemed Taxes Levy, 1939	226.91
Unredeemed Taxes Levy, 1940	297.87
Total Assets	$3,532.02

Debt January 31, 1942 ..... None

LIABILITIES

Due School District, Dog Licenses	$ 56.52	
Total Liabilities		$ 56.52
Excess of Assets over Liabilities		$3,475.50

LIST OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Land, Buildings, Furniture and Equipment	$ 6,100.00
Fire Department Equipment	50.00
Highway Department, Land, Buildings and Equipment	2,350.00
Schools, Land, Buildings and Equipment	2,500.00
E. F. Kimball Property	1,400.00
W. W. Perkins Property	50.00
	$12,450.00

JOHN R. McCULLOUGH,
ELMER E. JENNESS,
EARL W. STEVENS,
Selectmen of Middleton.

Audited by:
GLADYS S. WHITEHOUSE,
MARION E. STEVENS,
Audiors.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

LUCINDA D. JENNESS, Town Clerk

Received for Auto Permits Less Fees ..	$ 213.03	
Paid Town Treasurer		$ 213.03
Balance on Hand February 1, 1942—None.		

DOG LICENSES

Paid Town Treasurer Less Fees and Tags		$ 56.52
Rent of Town Hall	$ 58.00	
Paid Treasurer for Rent of Town Hall ..		$ 58.00
Total Paid Treasurer		$ 327.55

LUCINDA D. JENNESS,
Town Clerk.

This is to certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts for the year ending January 31, 1942 and find them correct.

GLADYS S. WHITEHOUSE,
MARION E. STEVENS,
Auditors.

1941 TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Amount of Warrant Levy of 1941	$4,701.07	
Total Payments to Town Treasurer	3,312.70	
Uncollected Taxes Levy 1941		$1,388.37

CLAYTON W. SHEPARD,
Tax Collector, 1941.

Audited by:
GLADYS S. WHITEHOUSE,
MARION E. STEVENS,
Auditors.

1940 TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Uncollected Taxes February 1, 1941	$1,238.84	
Interest	48.92	
Payment to Town Treasurer Levy 1940 . .		$1,184.86
Payment to Town Treasurer, Interest ...		48.92
Abatements	49.98	
Uncollected Taxes	4.00	
Total Payments to Treasurer		$1,233.78

CLAYTON W. SHEPARD,
Tax Collector, 1940.

Audited by:
GLADYS S. WHITEHOUSE,
MARION E. STEVENS,
Auditors.

1939 TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Uncollected Taxes February 1, 1941 .. $	14.43	
Payments to Town Treasurer Levy 1939		4.00
Abatements	2.43	
Uncollected Taxes 1939 Levy	8.00	
Total Payments to Treasurer		4.00

CONSTANDINO DIPRIZIO,
Tax Collector, 1939.

Audited by:
GLADYS S. WHITEHOUSE,
MARION E. STEVENS,
Auditors.

1940 TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

	Taxes	Int.	Costs	Total
Adam Perkins	$ 26.95	$ 1.58	$ 3.83	$ 32.36
Margaret Perkins	23.10	1.34	3.83	28.27
James R. Tufts	23.10	1.34	3.83	28.27
Addie Mae Jones	58.91	3.43	3.83	66.17
Walter S. Kimball	27.91	1.62	3.83	33.36
Richard Whitehouse ...	59.10	3.43	3.83	66.36
Erroll Hall	15.40	.90	3.83	20.13
Fred Leighton	19.25	1.12	3.83	24.20
Geraldine Mitchell	15.40	.90	3.83	20.13
Unknown Owner	15.40	.90	3.83	20.13
Unknown Owner	7.70	.45	3.83	11.98
	$292.22	$17.01	$42.13	$351.36

TAXES REDEEMED

Bernard Brannan Est., levy 1938	$ 16.60	
Adam Perkins, levy 1938	41.70	
Margaret Perkins, levy 1939	32.00	
George Willey, levy 1937-38-39	200.00	
Mark Lynch, levy 1939	27.00	
Errol Hall, levy 1940	20.13	
James and Ethel Wolfe, levy 1939	26.35	
Walter S. Kimball, levy 1940	33.36	
Total		$ 396.14

TAXES ABATED, LEVY 1939

Charlotta Titcomb, Poll Tax	$ 2.00	
Charles Titcomb, Goat	.21	
Adeard Cardin, Overcharge	.21	
Total		$ 2.43

TAXES ABATED, LEVY 1940

	Property	Polls
George Willey, property sold	$ 30.80	
Willie W. Perkins, taken over by town	5.78	
Norbert Brannan, overcharge	1.16	
Carl Higgins, left town—horse	1.35	
White, left town—horse	2.89	
Emerson Abbott, Paid in Wakefield		2.00
Lillian Tufts, left town		2.00
Thomas O'Malley, left town		2.00
Charlotta Titcomb, left town		2.00
Total	$ 41.98	$ 8.00

UNPAID TAXES, LEVY 1939

	Polls
Margaret Perkins	$ 2.00
Theodora Libby	2.00
Myrtle Johnson	2.00
James R. Tufts	2.00
Total	$ 8.00

UNPAID TAXES, LEVY 1940

	Property	Polls
Margaret Perkins	$	2.00
Maude Stevens		2.00
Total	$	4.00

RESIDENTS—UNPAID TAXES, LEVY 1941

	Property	Polls
Norbert Brannan	$ 7.64	
Emma Colbath	15.28	
Charles Diprizio	33.87	
Augustus and Daisy Foster	30.56	
Vila Hill	17.19	
Waldo Hill	1.91	2.00
Eliza Lane Est.	58.45	
Asa B. Kelley	144.78	
Walter S. Kimball	27.70	2.00
Delwin Leighton	1.91	
Walter F. Leighton	32.47	
Mark L. Lynch	19.10	
Ethel Moore	87.10	2.00
Adam Perkins	26.74	2.00
Dorothy Perkins		2.00

Margaret Perkins	19.10	2.00
Walter Perkins		2.00
Joseph W. Tufts Est.	57.30	
Gladys Whitehouse		2.00
Harvey Whitehouse	15.85	
Richard Whitehouse	58.64	2.00
Levi Wheeler	12.40	
Melbourne Wilkinson	9.55	
Fred Young	32.47	

NON-RESIDENTS—UNPAID TAXES, LEVY 1941

	Property
Walter Amazeen	$ 45.84
E. J. Burke	3.82
Geo. N. Eastman Heirs	2.87
L. C. Ferrin	13.37
Charles Fifield	3.82
Felix Forte	13.37
Clement Gordon	11.46
Dr. C. Stevens Grannan	47.75
Cecil Heath	45.84
Arthur Joy	133.70
Fred Leighton	19.10
Geraldine Mitchell	15.28
Fred Moulton	6.69
William Nute	6.86
Mrs. Annie O'Neil	5.73
Roland R. Pike	3.82
Charles Shapleigh Est.	95.50
Sydney Sweeny	26.74
Unknown Owner	15.28
Unknown Owner	7.64
Kirkman Woodman	19.10
James and Ethel Wolfe	30.56
Guy Varney	1.91
Frank Varney	1.91

TREASURER'S REPORT, 1941

RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand February 1, 1941	$ 913.73	
Taxes, Levy 1939	4.00	
Taxes, Levy 1940	1,225.87	
Taxes, Levy 1941	3,312.70	
Redemptions, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940	396.14	
Class V. from State Highway	709.80	
Rental of Tractor with Driver to State	227.00	
Motor Vehicle Refund—Gasoline	29.40	
Ossipee Oil Co.	5.52	
Pistol Permits	2.00	
Savings Bank Tax	5.28	
Registration Motor Vehicle Permits	212.76	
Dog Licenses	56.52	
Rental of Town Hall	58.00	
Town Forest	60.75	
State of New Hampshire Fund S.	55.50	
Refund from Alphonzo Kimball	433.30	
Bounties	48.40	
Forest Fire Refund	22.79	
Total		$7,787.64

EXPENDITURES

Orders Drawn by Selectmen, 1941	$6,180.77	
Balance in Bank	1,565.29	
Cash on Hand	41.58	
Total		$7,787.64

EMMA M. LOCKE, Treasurer.

This is to certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts for the year ending January 31, 1942 and find them correct.

GLADYS S. WHITEHOUSE,
MARION E. STEVENS,
Auditors.

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand February 1, 1941	$ 913.73
Taxes, Levy 1939	4.00
Taxes, Levy 1940	1,287.76
Taxes, Levy 1941	3,312.70
REDEMPTIONS	
Bernard Brannan Est., Levy 1938	15.60
Adam Perkins, Levy 1938	41.70
Margaret Perkins, Levy 1939	32.00
George Willey, Levy 1937-38-39-40	200.00
Mark Lynch, Levy 1939	27.00
Errol Hall, Levy 1940	20.13
James and Ethel Wolfe, Levy 1939	26.35
Walter S. Kimball, Levy 1940	33.36
Class V from State Highway	709.80
Rental of Tractor with Driver	227.00
Motor Vehicle Gasoline Refund	29.40
Ossipee Oil Co., Refund	5.52
Pistol Permits—Lloyde Tanner, Elmer Kimball, Edward Drawbridge, Cecil Heath, Charles Cook, Allen Kinney, Walter Kinney, Oscar Joy	2.00
Savings Bank Tax	5.28
Registration Motor Vehicle Permits	213.03
Dog Licenses	56.52
Rental of Town Hall	58.00
Town Forest, School Board, $30.00; Myron Tufts, $10.00; Waldo Hill, $3.50; Clifford Butler, $15.00; Allen Kinney, $2.25	60.75
State of New Hampshire Fund S.	55.50
Refund from Alphonzo Kimball	433.30
Bounties, 1939 and 1940	48.40
Forest Fire Refund	22.79
Total	$7,787.64

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries	$ 262.00
Town Officers' Expenses	68.20
Incidental Expenses	130.02
Fire Department	68.61
Bounties	30.40
Town Maintenance, Summer	662.26
Town Maintenance, Winter	312.80
Class V	709.80
Street Lighting	234.96
Tractor Expense	213.90
Town Poor	30.00
Old Age Assistance	242.52
Taxes Bought by Town	319.25
State Aid Road Construction	200.12
Insurance	50.20
County Tax	607.77
Election and Registration	27.00
Town Hall Expense	34.20
Town Forest Expense	22.75
Schools	1,816.26
Legal Expenses	42.00
Vital Statistics	5.25
Preambulating Milton, Wakefield and Brokfield Town Lines	30.50
Clarence Cook, Driving Tractor	60.00
Orders Drawn in 1941	6,180.77
Cash on Hand	1,606.87
Total	$7,787.64

TOWN OFFICERS SALARIES

John R. McCullough, Selectman	$ 75.00
Elmer E. Jenness, Selectman	40.00
Earl W. Stevens, Selectman	25.00

Lucinda D. Jenness, Town Clerk	25.00	
Emma M. Locke, Town Treasurer	25.00	
Clayton W. Sheppard, Tax Collector, '41	50.00	
Pauline Cook, Librarian	15.00	
Gladys S. Whitehouse, Auditor	2.00	
Marion E. Stevens, Auditor	2.00	
Ruth G. Kelley, Moderator	3.00	
		$ 262.00

TOWN OFFICERS EXPENSES

John R. McCullough, Postage and Telephone .....$	9.20
Trips—5 to Concord for S. A. O. Money	25.00
3 to Concord to Tax Commission	9.00
3 to Dover, Food Stamp Plan ...	6.00
2 to Dover, Kimball and Tuttle Lots	4.00
4 to Rochester, E. F. Kimball Lot and Stamp Plan	6.00
3 to Somersworth, Legal	6.00
1 to Chester, Tractor Parts	3.00
4 to Sanford, Town Reports	
Total	68.20

INCIDENTAL EXPENSES

Lucinda Jenness, Postage .....$	2.00
Anna Morin, Register of Deeds	11.20
Averill Press, Town Reports	60.00
John B. Varick & Co., Supplies	3.70
Charles W. Varney, Officers' Bonds	20.00
Osgood Co., 2 Filing Cabinets	2.07

Wheeler & Clark, Supplies	20.88	
Clayton W. Sheppard, Postage	2.11	
Association of Assessors' Dues	2.00	
Farmington National Bank, Safe Deposit Box	3.60	
Emma Locke, Postage	2.46	
Total		$ 130.02

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Asa B. Kelley	$ 9.00	
Arthur L. Stevens	9.00	
Edgar N. Stevens	9.00	
Total	27.00	

TOWN HALL EXPENSES

Twin State Gas & Elec. Co., Lights	$ 20.56	
Rochester Hardware Co., Electric Sup.	5.11	
Montgomery Ward, Electric Supplies	6.65	
Mason Joy, Sawing Wood	1.88	
Total		$ 34.20

INSURANCE

William R. Wentworth	$ 50.20

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fire Tools	$ 22.23	
Herbert Pinkham	3.00	
Clarence Cook	2.20	
Herbert Tufts	1.60	
Forrest Lessard	2.60	
Roy Tufts	1.60	
Moses Tufts	7.80	
Harry Eastman	1.20	
John Eastman	1.20	
Eric Bullis, Jr.	1.20	
Ellwood Grace	2.00	
Ransom Tufts	1.40	
Melvin Stevens	1.20	
Robert Lessard	3.00	
Roger Lessard	3.00	
Kenneth Lessard	1.40	
Charles Diprizio	2.96	
Prisco Diprizio	.80	
Alvino Diprizio	.80	
John R. McCullough	6.22	
Herbert Kimball	1.20	
		$ 68.61

BOUNTIES

Bounties ..... $ 30.40

VITAL STATISTICS

Vital Statistics ..... $ 5.25

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

None

STREET LIGHTING

Twin State Gas and Electric Co. .....$ 234.96

TRACTOR EXPENSE

R. C. Hazelton & Co., Parts and Rental .$	141.80	
Woodrow W. Tufts, Repairs	9.50	
I. H. Atherton, Repairs to Snow Plow ..	11.85	
Montgomery Ward, Battery	4.00	
Ricker's Garage, Repairs and Parts	32.75	
John O. Blaisdell, Repairs	10.00	
Leon G. Tufts, Headlights	4.00	
		$ 213.80

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

J. Homer Messier, Catherine Brannan, Lizzie Grace, Vina Corson, David Burrows and Joseph Grace 242.52

TOWN POOR

Alphonzo Kimball, Advances—now paid.$ 25.00

1940 TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

1940 Taxes Bought by Town .....$ 319.25

LEVY, 1940 ABATEMENTS

Levy Abatements .....$ 49.98

LEVY, 1939 ABATEMENTS

Levy Abatements	$ 2.43	

LEGAL EXPENSES

Dr. N. K. Chesley, Xrays for Delwin Leighton	$ 7.00	
John F. Beamis, Jr.	35.00	
Dr. Ezra Jones, Examination of Delwin Leighton	5.00	
		$ 47.00

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

State Aid Construction	$ 200.12

COUNTY TAX

County Tax	$ 607.77

TOWN FOREST EXPENSE

Ransom Tufts, Cutting 5½ Cords Wood	$ 11.25	
Herbert Pinkham, Hauling Wood to Schools	5.50	
Herbert Tufts, Yarding Wood	6.00	
		$ 22.75

SCHOOLS

1940 Appropriation (Balance)	$ 250.00	
1940 Dog Licenses	66.26	
1941 Appropriation (In Full)	1,500.00	
Total		$1,816.26

TOWN ROAD MAINTENANCE AND CLASS V

	Town Maint.	Class V
Richard Whitehouse	$ 13.75	
Herbert N. Kimball	39.51	55.74
Moses D. Tufts	3.00	25.50
William Lord, Grade	6.80	
Arthur Joy, Grade	10.10	
Leon Tufts, Grade	6.20	
Clarence Cook, Driving Tractor Hired by State	60.00	
Woodrow W. Tufts	49.25	
Clyde L. Tufts	58.69	
Herbert G. Tufts	39.00	59.26
Roy Tufts	51.57	47.26
Forrest Lessard	59.42	53.39
Robert Lessard	15.01	11.63
Clifford Butler	11.25	
Harry Eastman	4.32	13.50
Lloyde Eastman	3.00	10.13
John Eastman	1.50	10.13
Charles Eastman	22.88	
Fred Tibbetts	3.00	
Earl Stevens	2.00	
Herbert Pinkham, Truck	134.50	224.50
Clarence Cook, Truck and Grade	147.47	150.00
Clarence Jenness	1.50	2.25

Alden Jenness	1.50	
Arthur Kinney	3.00	
Steven Tufts		3.00
Eric Bullis, Jr.	1.32	10.13
Edgar N. Stevens	5.25	
Charles Diprizio, Blasting Rocks	54.95	
Levi Wheeler	1.50	
Charles L. Leighton	11.42	
Norbert Brannan	21.00	9.00
Joseph Weiss	6.00	
Hiram Stevens	3.00	
Ossipee Oil Co., Gasoline and Oil	88.00	
A. J. Soucy, Sharpening Tools	6.08	
John Burrows	11.61	7.50
Ransom Tufts	24.75	7.88
Union Garage	31.34	
Walter Perkins	3.75	
Robert Wentworth	4.50	
Walter Kimball	3.00	9.00
Lowes' Store, Barb Wire, Bucket, etc.	9.37	
	$1,035.06	$ 709.80

1941 MIDDLETON S. A. O.

Hervey W. Dorr	$ 245.40
Herbert C. Pinkham, Truck	466.80
Clarence E. Cook, Truck	379.20
John A. Burrows	133.80
Walter S. Kimball	53.60
Herbert Tufts	7.60
Moses Tufts	7.60
J. Ellwood Grace	16.00
Stephen Tufts	66.80
Russell Bullis	42.00

Alden Jenness	99.20
Clyde L. Tufts, Cement	3.50
Leon G. Tufts, Grade	161.55
A. J. Soucy, Sharpening Tools	1.00
City of Rochester, Compressor	67.75
Norbert Brannan	145.60
Roger Wentworth	113.60
Forrest Lessard	5.20
Bard Plummer	86.80
Arthur F. Remick	98.40
Amos D. Wallingford	84.80
Henry W. Drew	35.20
Clarence I. Drew	35.20
Treasurer Town of Middleton, Tractor Rental by State	110.00
Herbert N. Kimball	7.60
Roy J. Tufts	7.60
Highway Garage	170.56
Koppers Co.	323.34
	$2,975.70

This is to certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts for the year ending January 31, 1942 and find them correct.

GLADYS S. WHITEHOUSE,
MARION E. STEVENS,
Auditors.

SCHOOL REPORT

To the Citizens of Middleton:

We hereby submit our report of the school district up to June 30, 1941.

OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

School Board

Marion E. Tufts.....Term Expires 1942
Charles Diprizio.....Term Expires 1943
Marion E. Stevens.....Term Expires 1944

Organization

F. W. JACKSON—Superintendent of Schools
MARION E. TUFTS—Chairman
MARION E. STEVENS, Secretary
MARY E. McCULLOUGH, Treasurer
HERBERT KIMBALL, Truant Officer
IRENE JONES, Nurse

SCHOOL WARRANT
THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the town of Middleton qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 10th day of March, 1942, at 12 o'clock, noon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Audtiors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To seee if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money reequired to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To transact any other business to come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said meeting this 19th day of February, 1942.

MARION E. TUFTS,
MARION E. STEVENS,
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:
MARION E. TUFTS,
MARION E. STEVENS,
School Board.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE MIDDLETON SCHOOL DISTRICT

For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1940 and Ending June 30, 1941

RECEIPTS

State and Federal Aid:		
Equalization Fund for Elementary School		$1,830.45
Income from Local Taxation:		
For the Support of Elementary Schools		1,350.00
Total		$3,180.45
From Sources Other Than Taxation:		
Dog Licenses, 1940	$ 66.26	
Other Receipts	1.50	
		$ 67.76
Total Receipts from all sources		$3,248.21
Cash on Hand at Beginning of Year July 1, 1940		174.86
Grand Total		$3,423.07

PAYMENTS

Salaries of District Officers	$ 112.00
Superintendent's Excess Salary	55.26
Truant Officer and School Census	10.00
Expenses of Administration	10.73
Teachers' Salaries	1,800.00
Text Books	54.91
Scholars' Supplies	40.00
Flags and Appurtenances	6.47

Other Expenses of Instruction	6.97	
Janitor Service	85.50	
Fuel	54.00	
Water, Lights, Janitors' Supplies	26.04	
Minor Repairs and Expenses	116.16	
Transportation of Pupils	322.16	
High School Tuition	346.16	
Other Special Activities	5.21	
Elementary School Tuition	36.00	
Tax for State-Wide Supervision	88.00	
Insurance and Other Fixed Charges	4.00	
New Equipment	4.00	
Total Payment for All Purposes ...		$3,383.57
Total Cash on Hand at End of Year, June 30, 1941		39.50
Grand Total		$3,423.07

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the book and other financial records of the school board of Middleton, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1941, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

MARGARET KIMBALL,
BLANCHE R. WENTWORTH,
Auditors.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF MONEY DUE FROM SELECTMEN

Appropriations of March, 1941	0
Dog Licenses for 1940	0

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Mary E. McCullough, Treasurer	$ 25.00	
Marion E. Stevens	50.00	
Marion E. Tufts	15.00	
Charles Diprizio	15.00	
Ruth G. Kelley, Moderator	2.00	
Lucinda Jenness, Clerk	2.00	
Margaret Kimball, Auditor	1.50	
Blanche Wentworth, Auditor	1.50	
Total		$ 112.00

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Edna S. Cheney	$ 900.00	
Gladys S. Whitehouse	900.00	
Total		$1,800.00

TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Text Books	$ 54.91	
Scholars' Supplies	40.00	
Total		$ 94.91

JANITOR SERVICE AND SUPPLIES

Russell Bullis	$ 38.00	
Stephen Tufts	47.50	
Total	$ 85.50	

FUEL

Town of Middleton	$ 36.00	
W. W. Tufts, Sawing Wood	7.50	
Union Wood Turning Co., Wood	7.50	
Fred Tufts, Piling Wood	3.00	
Total		$ 54.00

TRANSPORTATION

Irene Shepard	$ 322.16	
Total		$ 322.16

MEDICAL INSPECTION

Wakefield Red Cross	$ 30.00

EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION

Superintendent's Excess Salary	$ 55.26	
Truant's Officer's Salary, 1941	5.00	
Census	5.00	
Administration	10.73	
Other Expenses of Instruction	6.97	
Total		$ 82.96

FIXED CHARGES

Per Capita Tax	$ 88.00	
Premium on Treasurer's Bond	4.00	
Total		$ 92.00

MINOR REPAIRS

Fred Tufts	$ 5.00	
Marion Tufts	5.00	
J. R. McCullough	1.00	
Sidney Stevens	3.00	
Herbert Kimball	10.80	
George Tufts	4.00	
Clyde Tufts	40.45	
Charles Diprizio	46.16	
Marion E. Stevens	.75	
Total		$ 116.16

TUITIONS

Elementary	$ 36.00	
City of Rochester	332.50	
Farmington High School	213.66	
Total		$ 582.16

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF MIDDLETON
SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1942-1943

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1942.

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

Support of Schools

Teachers' Salaries	$1,900.00	
Text Books	60.00	
Scholars' Supplies	60.00	
Flags and Appurtenances	5.00	
Other Expenses of Instruction	25.00	
Janitor Service	92.50	
Fuel	60.00	
Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies	25.00	
Minor Repairs and Expenses	100.00	
Health Supervision (Medical Inspection)	35.00	
Transportation of Pupils	200.00	
Payment of Elementary Tuitions		
Other Special Activities	15.00	
		$2,577.50

Other Statutory Requirements

Salaries of District Officers (Fixed by District)	$ 112.00
Truant Officer and School Census (Fixed by District)	10.00
Payment of Tuition in High Schools and Academies (Estimated by Board)	500.00
Superintendent's Excess Salary (Fixed by Supervisory Union)	43.03

Per Capita Tax (Report of State Treasurer)	84.00	
*Other Obligations imposed by law or established by district administration	25.00	
		$ 774.03
Total Amount Required to Meet School Board's Budget		$3,351.53

Estimated Income of District

State Aid (December 1942 Allotment)	$1,560.95	
Dog Tax (Estimate)	60.00	
Deduct Total Estimated Income (Not Raised by Taxation)		$1,620.95
Assessment Required to Balance School Board's Budget		$1,730.58
Total Assessment Required to Cover Budget and Appropriations		$1,730.58

MARION E. TUFTS,
MARION E. STEVENS,
School Board.

Middleton, N. H.
February 9, 1942.
Harold A. Truell, Supt.

*This item includes legal obligations such as judgments, orders of State Board of Health on complaint, necessary rent and costs of authorized administration and insurance. Repairs in excess of 5% of the school money, new equipment and major construction must be raised under special articles in the warrant.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of Middleton:

I herewith submit my first annual report which is the first in the series of such reports.

Union No. 36

The eight school districts of Brookfield, Effingham, Freedom, Madison, Middleton, Ossipee, Tamworth, and Wakefield continue to comprise this supervisory union. The union expense of administration is as follows: Brookfield, 1.60%; Effingham, 7.87%; Freedom, 6.04%; Madison, 12.43%; Middleton, 3.31%; Ossipee, 30.90%; Tamworth, 20.41%; Wakefield, 17.44%. The above percentages are based on the pupil registration in the various towns.

Enrollment

Enrollment as of January 31, 1942

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Totals
Corner	0	3	0	2	4	1	2	2	14
Ridge	3	1	4	0	4	2	1	3	18
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18
Totals	3	4	4	2	8	3	3	5	32
Boys	1	4	1	1	5	1	2	2	17
Girls	2	0	3	1	3	2	1	3	15

The work at the Middleton schools is going along very smoothly. Many hot lunches have been served aided greatly by the supply of surplus commodities which has been given to the Middleton schools. We appreciate the interest shown by the teachers in serving these lunches to the pupils because without their interest and support to the noon program it could not be carried out successfully.

The fine spirit of cooperation which prevails between teachers, parents, and pupils is greatly appreciated.

Statistics

Numbr of weeks in school year	37
Average number of half days in session	360
Average number of sessions lost from all causes	10
Whole number of different pupils registered:	
Boys, 17; Girls, 12. Total	29
Enrollment by grades: I, 5; II, 4; III, 3; IV, 5; V, 2	
VI, 2; VII, 7; VIII, 1. Total	29
Average membership in elementary schools	28.15
Average daily attendance in elementary schools	27.00
Percent of attendance in elementary schools for year	95.91
Number of cases of tardiness in all schools	12
Number not absent nor tardy during year	3
Number of pupils transported at district expense	5
Average salary of women teachers	$900
Number of visits made to school by:	
School Board members	5
Superintendent	44
Citizens (including special occasions)	214
Number of School Board meetings held	6

Perfect Attendance School Year 1940-1941

Middleton Corner: Carlyne B. Cook.

Middleton Ridge: Thomas V. Brannan, Evelene L. Stevens.

I wish to express my appreciation to the School Board, teachers, pupils, parents, and friends for their hearty cooperation in making the Middleton schools a success.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD A. TRUELL,
Superintendent of Schools.

INVENTORY OF REAL ESTATE

APRIL 1, 1941

Name	Acres	Description	Value
Brannan, Bernard, Est...	3	Homestead and camp .	$ 200
Brannan, Norbert	11	Camp and Knowles lot	200
Bullis, Eris A.	30	Homestead	450
Bullis, Merritt	25	Homestead	800
Burrows, John A.	126	Homestead	600
Colbath, Emma	9	Homestead	400
Cook, Charles L.	160	Stevens and Haven lots	510
Cook, Charles L.	8	Homestead	1,020
Cook, Clarence E.	6	Homestead	300
Corson, Vina	1	Homestead	200
DiPrizio, Charles	104	Homestead	2,150
Drawbridge, Edward F..	60	Homestead	1,632
Eastman, Charles F.	20	Homestead	500
Eastman, Charles F.	45	Merrill field and Sprouts	350
Eastman family	90	Jesse Mt. lot	300
Eastman, Mary A.	1	Corner lot	75
Foster, Augustus and Daisy	30	Homestead	800
Gould, Burton G.	1	Homestead	758
Grace, Joseph S.	15	Homestead	325
Grace, Joseph S.	41	E. & S. Colbath lots ..	75
Hanrahan, Edith M.	18	John Young place	1,500
Hill, Vila	1	Homestead	450
Jenness, Lucinda M.	88	Homestead	1,600
Jones, Addie Mae	24	Homestead	1,530
Kelley, Asa B.		Camp	200
Kelley, Asa B.	80	Homestead	3,060
Kelley, Asa B.	50	Wood lot	150
Kimball, Alphonzo		Camp	100
Kimball, Elmer B.	1½	Homestead	1,224
Kimball, Elmer B.	20	Part Matthew lot	300
Kimball, Herbert N. ...		Camp	50
Kimball, Walter S.	75	Homestead	700
Kinney, Allen	30	Homestead	400
Leighton, Charles L. ...	20	Homestead	1,225
Leighton, Charles L. ...	4	Penny field	200
Leighton, Charles L. ...	20	Emery place	300
Leighton, Charles L. ...		Camp	150
Leighton, Delwin H. ...		Camp	50
Leighton, Walter F.	100	Homestead	800
Lynch, Mark	2	Homestead	500
Messier, J. Homer		Camp	50
McCullough, John R. ..	30	Homestead	400
Butler, Clifford	8	Gessler place and camp	150
Moore, Ethel G.	174	Homestead	2,250
Nutter, John N.	100	Homestead	350
Perkins, Adam G.	50	Homestead	700

Name	Acres	Description	Value
Perkins, Alton M.	10	Homestead	450
Perkins, Margaret	27	Whitehouse place	500
Pinkham, Herbert C.	75	Homestead	1,200
Pinkham, Herbert C.	170	Geo. E. Pinkham place	700
Shepard, Clayton	1	Homestead	350
Stevens, Albert M.	345	Homestead	1,800
Stevens, Albert M.	240	Chesley lot	250
Stevens, Albert M.	15	David meadow	300
Stevens, Albert M.	2	Nugent place	200
Stevens, Arthur L.	¼	Cook lot and camp	150
Stevens, Byron H.	50	Homestead	800
Stevens, Earl W.	25¼	Homestead and pasture	500
Stevens, Edgar N.	51	Homestead	656
Stevens, Hattie B.	1	Homestead	1,122
Stevens, Melvin E.	⅓	Homestead	300
Stevens, Melvin E.	5	Pike lot	20
Stevens, Sidney A.	142	Homestead	1,220
Swift, Arthur	50	Marshall lot and camp	200
Tufts, Clyde L.		Sprout land	60
Tufts, Clyde L.	1	Homestead	1,000
Tufts, Clyde L.	8	Geo. Emery lot	60
Tufts, Eva E.	50	Part of Pearl place	250
Tufts, George D.	1	Homestead	350
Tufts, Geo. & Myron		Eaton and Farnham lot	150
Tufts, James R.	162	Old Homestead	700
Tufts, John D.	24	Homestead	900
Tufts, John D.	15	Mountain lot	100
Tufts, Herbert G.	10	French field	75
Tufts, Joseph W. Est.	50	Homestead	700
Tufts, Joseph W. Est.	50	Whitehouse place	400
Tufts, Joseph W. Est.	100	Mountain lot	400
Tufts, Leon G.	80	Penny lot	300
Tufts, Leon G.	93	Homestead	1,500
Tufts, Leon G.	40	Mountain lot	200
Tufts, Leon G.	12	G. J. Tufts pasture	50
Tufts, Leon G.	35	Muncel field	100
Tufts, Myron		Camp	50
Tufts, Orrie M.	1	Homestead	300
Tufts, Ransom	1	Homestead	200
Tibbetts, Fred	11	Homestead	405
Tibbetts, Fred		Pinkham camp	50
Wentworth, William	1	Piper place	918
Whitehouse, Harvey J.	65	Mountain lot	400
Whitehouse, Richard	120	Homestead	700
Whitehouse, Richard	150	Mountain lot	950
Whitehouse, Wesley J.	50	Homestead	500
Whitehouse, Wesley J.	½	Hoytt place	20
Young, Fred R.	60	Homestead	850
Wilkinson, Melbourne		Homestead	250

INVENTORY OF NON-RESIDENT REAL ESTATE

APRIL 1, 1941

Name	Acres
Amazeen, Walter	100
Auclair, Albany	7
Burke, E. J.	1
Brock, Martin, & Son	100
Burleigh, Dean R.	1
Cook, Anna A.	21
Coon, William	37
DeBess, Joseph	
Downing, Rosillah, heirs	38
Downing, Rosillah, heirs	23
Downing, Rosillah, heirs	16
Drew, Robert	60
Drowner, R. C. & J. B. Holmes, Jr.	
Eastman, Geo. N., heirs	10
Eaton, M. H.	3
Erickson, Sven M.	25
Farnham, Frank J., heirs	100
Farnham, Frank J., heirs	32
Farnham, Frank J., heirs	40
Federal Land Bank	200
Ferguson, Donald	40
Ferrin, L. C.	
Fifield, Charles	9
Forte, Felix	50
Foss, Irving	8
Goodall, Mark, heirs	100
Gordon, Clement	35
Greene, Edwin	1½
Hall, Errol	78
Hall, Errol	15
Heath, Cecil N.	1¼
Heath, Cecil N.	4
Hull, Annie	
Joy, Arthur	800
Joy, Arthur	100
Kean, Francis P.	30
Kirkman, Woodman	100
Kennett, Company	500
Kimball, George, Est.	40
Kimball, Harry, heirs	25
Kimball, Stanley	25

Description	Value
Mark Tuttle place	$1,200
Field	100
Part Hall lot	100
Davis lot	800
House and lot	200
Pasture and house lot	250
Cyrus Willey place	700
Cottage	250
Cloutman lot	300
Farnham lot	300
Orne lot	100
Plummer & Pinkham lot	300
Camp and lot	100
Mountain lot	75
Part Stevens place	200
Twombly lot	300
Waldron lot	850
Penny pasture	500
Part Moulton place	250
Johnson place	3,000
Jonathan Gilman lot	300
W. F. Hanson cottage	350
Part Moulton place	100
Goodall lot	350
Wood lot	50
Hayes lot	500
Roberts lot	300
Tanner lot	50
Part Colbath place	350
Part of Stevens & Hall lot	100
Boys' Camp and lot	
Part Pinkham lot	1,200
Camp and lot	100
Whitehouse lot	3,000
Clara Perkins lot	500
Colbath place	800
Butler lot	500
Piper Mountain	1,500
George Kimball Old Homestead	600
Cloutman lot	200
Mountain lot & cottage	550

Name	Acres
Leighton, Fred	12
Lord, Hiram	100
Lord, Hiram	30
Lord, William C.	65
Lord, William M.	100
Lord, William M.	25
Lord, William M.	30
Lord, William M.	110
Lord, William M.	38
Lord, William M.	159
Lowe, Homer	164
Mason and Lord	50
Mitchell, Geraldine	75
Moulton, Fred A.	30
O'Donald, Mrs. John	2
O'Neil, Annie	1
Ossipee Valley Lumber Company	142
Pickering, Sarah M.	26
Pike, Roland R.	15
Plummer, Geo. L., heirs	50
Plummer, Geo. L., heirs	125
Plummer, Geo. L., heirs	180
Plummer, Geo. L., heirs	95
Rhines, Inez	40
Rhines, Inez	5
Roberts, Fred B.	45
Robitaille, Noel	20
Robitaille, Noel	4
Roy, Romeo	1
Shapleigh, Charles	100
Smith, Harvey D.	8
Smith, Leland C.	64
Stevens, Geo. and John	40
Stevens, Grannan C.	27
Stevens, Grannan C.	50
Stevens, Meta B.	5
Stevens, Walter R.	30
Sweeney, Sydney F.	
Studley, Ira	112
Studley, Ira	64
Taft, Arthur L., heirs	35
Tibbetts, Chris	130
Tilton, Charles	22
Tilton, Charles	1
Towle, Irving	
Towle, Irving	130
Tufts, Francis	30
Twin State Gas & Electric	

Description	Value
Penny field	500
Colbath lot	800
Tuttle place	500
Tuttle & Waldron lots	350
Gilman lot	450
Varney lot	100
Walker lot	100
Jesse Mountain lot	150
Stevens lot	120
Horace Drew place	500
Knowles place	2,600
Babb lot	200
William Place lot	400
Henry Willey lot	175
Camp and lot	75
Old Tufts place	150
Hutchins lot	1,200
Wood lot	500
Calvin Head lot	100
Penny lot	250
Pike & Kenney lots	750
Cloutman & Pike lots	850
Lovering lot	1,200
W. B. Place lot	200
Reservoir lot	50
Old Homestead and A. Shapleigh lot	500
Stevens & Hall lots	200
Part of Colbath place	100
Camp and lot	300
Old Homestead	2,500
Bailey lot	50
Wheeler & Garland lots	400
Timber lot	1,200
Elizabeth Davis Homestead	1,000
Colbath or J. Jenness lot	250
Part of Moore place	350
Whitehouse lot	150
L. Leighton place	700
Drew Homestead	800
Maggie lot	300
Cate lot	500
Demeritt & Roberts lots	500
Part Wentworth place	150
Camp and lot	200
Camp and lot	150
Old Homestead	1,000
Charles Tufts place	200
Electric plant	4,612

Name	Acres	Description	Value
Twombly, Samuel	30	Wood lot	200
Unknown Owner	25	Place lot	400
Unknown Owner	30	L. Colbath lot	200
Wadleigh, F. F.	13	Burleigh field	600
Wadleigh, F. F.	65	Appleby pasture	600
Waldron, Donald	40	Pinkham lot	350
Wallace, Edwin S., heirs	75	Summer residence	1,400
Wallace, Edwin S., heirs	½	James Wallace lot	50
Wentworth, Carrie, heirs	68	Stevens lot	350
Wolfe, James H. and Ethel H.	130	Colbath lot	800
Wyndotte Worsted		Reservoir	4,000
Varney, Frank	2	Part Moulton place	50
Varney, Guy	2	Part Moulton place	50

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF MIDDLETON ON FEBRUARY 15th, 1942

Date of Creation	Trust Funds Where Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
May 9, 1914,	Charles H. Roberts Fund Benefit Church, invested in Farmintgon Bank	$ 400.00	$ 46.46	$ 5.48		$ 51.94
May 22, 1935,	Natt F. Roberts Fund:. Benefit Cemetery, invested in Farmington Bank	200.00	22.25	2.56		24.81
Nov. 1, 1914,	Charles H. Roberts Fund Benefit Library, invested in Farmington Bank	200.00	15.83	2.28	$3.35	14.76
Dec. 5, 1933,	Eliza Roberts Fund..... Benefit Library, invested in Wolfeboro Bank	100.00	17.73	1.76		19.49
Mar. 4, 1941,	Charles H. Roberts Fund Benefit Ministerial, invested in Farmington Bank	200.00	13.50	2.13		15.63
		$1,100.00	$115.77	$14.21	$3.35	$126.63
			$129.98		$129.98	

We have examined the above trust funds and find same correct.

GLADYS S. WHITEHOUSE
MARION E. STEVENS

Total of All Funds and Interest, $1,226.63

Marriages Registered in Town of Middleton for the Year Ending December 31, 1941

February 4, 1941, in Milton, N. H., Clifford Roy Bolles and Helen Mabel Eastman, both of Middleton. Age of groom, 26; age of bride 17. Color of each, white. Occupation of groom, woodsman; occupation of bride, housework. Place of birth of groom, Belmont, Maine; place of birth of bride, Middleton. Names of parents of groom, Sumner Bolles and Lena M. Mayo; names of parents of bride, Chas. F. Eastman and Mary A. Tufts. Birthplace of groom's father, not known; birthplace of groom's mother, Dover-Foxcroft, Maine. Birthplace of bride's father, Milton, N. H.; mother, Middleton. Occupation of groom's father, laborer; mother, housewife; occupation of bride's father, farmer; mother, housewife. Second marriage for groom. first marriage for bride. Name, residence and official station of persons by whom married, the Rev. E. Lincoln Bigelow, West Milton, N. H.

May 1, 1941, in Berwick, Maine, Wm. Alfred Brown and June St. Cair Tufts, both of Middleton. Age of groom 25; age of bride 19. Color of each, white. Occupation of groom, laborer; occupation of bride, shoe worker. Birthplace of groom, New Durham, N. H.; birthplace of bride, Middleton. Names of parents of groom, Wm. H. Brown and Mabel R. Schully; names of parents of bride, Lem G. Tufts and Addie M. Kimball. Birthplace of father of groom, Madison, N. H.; mother, Boston, Mass. Birthplace of father and mother of bride, Middleton. Occupation of father of groom, teamster; mother, cleaner. Occupation of father of bride, laborer; mother, housewife. First marriage of bride and groom. Name, residence and official station of persons by whom married, the Rev. L. F. Percy, Berwick, Maine.

May 2, 1941, in Milton, N. H., Ernest Alfred Kimball and Angie Emma Colbath, both of Middleton. Age of groom, 36; age of bride 21. Color of each, white. Occupation of groom, laborer; occupation of bride, at home. Birthplace of groom, Union, N. H.; birthplace of bride, Lynn, Mass. Names of parents of groom, Alphonzo E. Kimball and Myrtle Glidden; names of parents of bride, Bert Dudley Colbath and Emma L. Kelley. Birthplace of groom's father, Middleton; mother, New Durham; birthplace of bride's father, Farmington; mother, Boston, Mass. Occupation of groom's father, laborer; mother, housewife; occupation of bride's father, shoe worker; mother, housewife. First marriage of gride and groom. Name, residence and official station of persons by whom married, the Rev. E. Lincoln Bigelow, West Milton, N. H.

I hereby certify that the above is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LUCINDA D. JENNESS,
Town Clerk

Births Registered in the Town of Middleton for the Year Ending December 31, 1941

Arthur William Tufts, born January 13, 1941, at Rochester, living, fourth child. Name of father, Orrie Mott Tufts; maiden name of mother, Iris Isabelle Shepard. Residence of parents, Middleton. Occupation of father, laborer. Birthplace of father, Middleton; mother, Acton, Maine.

Paul Alvin Bolles, born September 1, 1941, in Middleton, living, first child. Name of father, Clifford Roy Bolles; maiden name of mother, Helen Mabel Eastman. Residence of parents, Mildleton. Occupation of father, mason's helper. Birthplace of father, Belfast, Maine; mother, Mildleton.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Middleton for the Year Ending December 31, 1941

Edward F. Gilby, died September 13, 1941, age 76 years, 2 months, 1 day. Born at Waterville, Maine, male, white, widowed. Occupation, farmer. Parents were born at Waterville, Maine. Name of father, Freeman Gilby; maiden name of mother, Marguerette Derrah.

Albert M. Stevens, died February 7, 1941, at Middleton, age 73 years, 1 month. Place of birth, Middleton, male, white, widowed. Occupation, farmer. Birthplace of father, Middleton; mother, Benton, Maine. Name of father, James F. D. Stevens; maiden name of mother, Lydia F. Brown.

I hereby certify that the above is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LUCINDA D. JENNESS,
Town Clerk